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TAGS: OVIP, OTRA, HU (GOROG, WILLIAM F.)

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF WILLIAM F. GOROG

REFERENCE: BUDAPEST 3217

1. REQUESTED BIOGRAPHIC SKETCHES OF MESSRS GOROG AND EVANS FOLLOW:

WILLIAM F. GOROG. WILLIAM F. GOROG IS DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR ECONOMIC AFFAIRS. HE ALSO ACTS AS DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC POLICY BOARD.

A 1949 GRADUATE OF THE UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY AT WEST POINT, MR. GOROG HOLDS AN M.S. IN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING FROM OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY. HE COMPLETED A FIVE-YEAR TOUR OF DUTY IN THE AIR FORCE DURING WHICH HE SERVED IN KOREA AND WITH ALLIED AIR FORCES CENTRAL EUROPE.

PRIOR TO HIS APPOINTMENT AT THE WHITE HOUSE, MR. GOROG WAS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF MEAD TECHNOLOGY LABORATORIES, DAYTON, OHIO. HE WAS ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF THE COMPANY, ORIGINALLY KNOWN AS DATA CORPORATION, WHICH MERGED WITH THE MEAD CORPORATION IN 1968.

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THE ORGANIZATION WAS PRINCIPALLY KNOWN FOR ITS WORK IN

EQUIPMENT FOR THE AEROSPACE INDUSTRY AND FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS. HE CONTRIBUTED GREATLY TO THE DEVELOPMENT AND INTRODUCTION OF THE COMPUTERIZED LEGAL RESEARCH SYSTEM KNOWN AS LEXIS, WHICH IS NOW IN USE BY LAW FIRMS AND COURTS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

PERSONAL: A NATIVE OF WARREN, OHIO, MR. GOROG IS FIFTY AND IS MARRIED TO THE FORMER GRETCHEN ELISABETH MEISTER. (THEY HAVE SIX CHILDREN (THREE BOYS AND THREE GIRLS.)

2. DAVID M. EVANS. DAVID M. EVANS SERVES AS ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF THE COUNCIL ON INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICY (CIEP) FOR NONMARKET ECONOMIES. HE HAS BEEN A SENIOR STAFF MEMBER ON THE COUNCIL SINCE AUGUST 1973.

BORN ON MAY 27, 1936, IN PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, MR. EVANS ATTENDED HARVARD UNIVERSITY, WHERE HE RECEIVED HIS B.A. (MAGNA CUM LAUDE) IN 1959 AND HIS M.A. IN 1961. HE ALSO ATTENDED THE UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, FROM 1959-60.

MR. EVANS ENTERED THE FOREIGN SERVICE OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE IN 1963. HE HAS SERVED IN WARSAW, IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON, AND IN MOSCOW.

MR. EVANS IS MARRIED TO THE FORMER STEPHANIE CARTWRIGHT JONES AND THEY HAVE TWO CHILDREN. THEY RESIDE IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA. HABIB

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